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PEACE MOVE IN FEW MONTHS FORECAST

'INSUFFICIENT FUNDS' CHARGE JAILS YOUNG BRIDEGRoOM

Youth Arrested On Complaint Of Santa Ana Automobile Firm

SAN DIEGO LICENSE ISSUED COUPLE MAR. 9

Accused In County Jail Declares Mother Stopped • Check Payment

For giving a check that came back marked "insufficient funds," for the purchase of an automobile, Nelson J. Taylor, married but a week ago, was this morning taken to the county jail.

He is accused of giving a worthless \$275.90 check to Layton Bros., corner of French and East Fourth streets, in part payment for a Maxwell car.

Taylor made no effort to get away. The officers believe that he was depending upon his mother in Echo, Ore., to make his checks good. He has been in Santa Ana but a short time.

The automobile was bought on February 26 from a salesman of Layton Bros. By exhibiting a number of cancelled checks, Taylor persuaded the salesman that his check for \$275.90 on the Bank of Echo, Echo, Ore., was good. Taylor took the car.

Soon afterward Taylor went to San Diego, where Santa Ana girl became his bride. They returned here a few days ago.

License Issued March 9

According to the records of the county clerk at San Diego, a license was issued on March 9 to Nelson James Taylor, aged 23, of San Diego, and Flora A. Kelly, 19, of Santa Ana.

This morning Ralph J. Layton appeared at the district attorney's office with the Taylor check, returned to him from Echo, Ore., and with a report from the Bank of Echo that Taylor had insufficient funds in the bank to meet the check.

Deputy Sheriff Crayath went out to find Taylor, who was reported to be in town. Hearing that Taylor was wanted, Policeman John Ryan arrested him at the corner of Fourth and Main streets, recognizing him by the description, a feature of which was a big cowboy hat.

Taylor is liable to arrest as a perjurer if his statement to a Register man this afternoon is correct. He attributes his present predicament to action by his mother in stopping payment on his checks.

"I am under age," said Taylor, "and my mother undoubtedly has notified the bank not to honor my checks. I have my personal checking account, and I believe that I have more than enough to take care of the check drawn to make the payment on the automobile. I was born and raised at Pendleton, Oregon, and that is the home of my mother and step-father."

Father at San Diego

My step-father is James Taylor. My father lives at San Diego. His name is Hogie. I do not know his initials. I had never seen him to know him until I went to San Diego four weeks ago. He heard that I was in town and came to see me. He is a miner. I left Portland, Ore., a month ago, coming by boat to San Francisco, thence to San Diego. My step-father is wealthy and I believe I will have no trouble in straightening out this difficulty and in proving that I am innocent of any intended fraud."

Taylor was introduced on the streets to the girl who became his wife on March 9, and he does not know the street number of her parents.

Since coming to Santa Ana he has been engaged in buying and selling hogs, having made one or two buys and sales. He deposited money in a local bank but always drew on the Oregon bank in payment for purchases.

Says He is Under Age

While he gave his age as 23 when he gave the marriage license in San Diego, he says he is under age. He is about 20 years old.

His wife is located in an apartment house here.

He is held under \$500 bail and efforts are being made this afternoon to secure bondsmen.

PARDON DIGGS AND CAMINETTI, IS PLEA WILSON HAS RECEIVED

WASHINGTON, Mar. 13.—An appeal for a pardon for Maury I. Diggs and Drew Caminetti today reached President Wilson. The appeal is signed by Senator Phelan and scores of citizens and officials.

HOW TO PLANT 'SPUDS' IS TO BE SHOWN BY EXPERT, THURSDAY

Eugene H. Grubb, recognized as the foremost potato expert in the United States, is going to give a demonstration in potato planting in Santa Ana Thursday afternoon at 2:45 on the vacant lot at the northeast corner of Hickey and Riverine.

In view of the fact that many people are turning to the culture of potatoes on vacant lots in efforts to reduce the high cost of living, the Register has arranged for the demonstration.

Hundreds of vacant lot owners in the city will be interested in learning the best method of planting tubers to get the best results, and through the courtesy of A. J. Rutherford, city passenger agent of the Southern Pacific in Los Angeles, the Register has secured Grubb for the purpose of giving local people the very best possible information on the subject of potato culture and planting.

Grubb is employed in the agriculture department of the Southern Pacific.

The lot where the demonstration will be held is the property of Oliver Halsell. Chas. Spangler has secured it for the season and has consented to its use for the demonstration. Spangler intended to plant the lot to lima beans, but now will plant it to potatoes and in the planting will follow the instruction of Grubb, giving those interested opportunity to make observations as the potatoes grow to maturity.

Everyone interested is invited to be on hand promptly at 2:45 Thursday afternoon.

WORK ON WAREHOUSE ON 4th ST. STARTED BY TAYLOR CANNERY

Men with teams today began excavating for a \$6000 warehouse that is to be built for J. E. Taylor and Company, canners, at the southwest corner of Fourth and Santa Fe streets.

A spur track will be built by the Santa Fe from near First street north to the warehouse.

The taking up of warehouse and storage room by improvements this winter at the cannery plant at 1642 East Fourth street made it imperative that a new warehouse be built, and the firm decided to erect the new building at the location near the Santa Fe station.

At the cannery plant work will be started within the next few days to divide into six rooms a large dry cold storage room built a year or so ago. These six rooms will have a capacity of about eighty tons and will be rented for the storage of fruits.

The pickling department at the cannery has been extended, this winter, into a building formerly used as a packing and warehouse. General improvements made at the plant have practically doubled the firm's capacity.

NEWPORT BAY VISIT TO BE MADE BY CONGRESS NAVAL COMMITTEE

The congressional committee on naval affairs, under the chairmanship of Congressman William Kettner of San Diego, will be shown Orange county in general and Newport bay in particular Thursday, according to word received this afternoon by Secretary Metzgar of the Chamber of Commerce.

Secretary J. H. Whitaker of the Anaheim Board of Trade, who has the arrangements in charge, told Metzgar that the Orange county delegation will meet the congressmen at the Hotel Alexandria, Los Angeles, at 8:30 a. m. Thursday.

During the forenoon the party will

LATE WIRE NEWS

BELLEVUE, Ohio, March 13.—Orders for a strike on the Nickel Plate railroad were printed and are today in the hands of the Brotherhood men. The order calls for a strike at 6 Saturday night.

WASHINGTON, Mar. 13.—It was learned today that the federal board of mediation will make a final effort to reach an agreement in the present recurrence of the railroads and brotherhoods controversy.

NORMAN BEATS BLACK

PITTSFIELD, Mass., March 13.—Johnny Norman of New York beat Kid Black of Chicago in ten rounds.

BUENOS AIRES

BUENOS AIRES, Mar. 13.—Tracoma, said to have been brought into the country by Turkish immigrants, is causing serious alarm in parts of Argentina. Berisso, with 10,000 inhabitants, is said to have 1,200 cases.

BERNSTORFF TO PROTEST ACTS OF BRITISH AT HALIFAX

Asserts All of Party Except Himself Stripped and Minutely Searched

BY ARTHUR E. MANN (United Press Staff Correspondent)

CHRISTIANIA, Mar. 10.—(By wireless to Berlin and thence via Tucker, N. J., March 13.)—Not even Countess Bernstorff, the American wife of the former ambassador to the United States from Germany, was exempted in the minute search of the Scandinavian liner Frederik VIII and her passengers by the British authorities at Halifax.

So thorough was this search and so repugnant the methods, as well as the delay it enforced on the former envoy, that he will lodge formal protest at Washington. At the time of the searching the British authorities refused to transmit his telegraphic protest. They did mail a censored protest to Dr. Ritter, the Swiss minister in Washington, who was left by Bernstorff in charge of German interests at the American capital. But this was not forwarded, it is understood, until after the examination was completed and the Frederik VIII left port.

The British authorities refused to permit the American consul at Halifax to come aboard the Frederik VIII and forced the captain of the liner to promise not to use his wireless.

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Last season J. E. Taylor and Company paid out to their employees \$30,000 in wages. The payroll this season will be as large and possibly larger. At least 150 women will be employed and from twenty-five to thirty men.

CHINESE EXPECTED TO ANNOUNCE BREAK WITH GERMAN GOV'T. TODAY

PEKING, Mar. 13.—The Chinese government was expected formally to announce China's break in diplomatic relations with Germany today.

Both the Senate and House have voted overwhelmingly for such a severance in relations.

INVASION OF TRACOMA ALARMING ARGENTINE

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HARRY THAW ADJUDGED INSANE; REMOVAL TO NEW YORK BLOCKED

PHILADELPHIA, Mar. 13.—Harry

K. Thaw today was adjudged insane by the State's alienist in the sanity inquiry started by his mother. This ap-

parently blocks his removal to New York for trial on the Gump charges.

Thaw, however, continues fighting ex-

tradition.

Deep Secrecy Veils Moves Of Railway Brotherhoods Men

WASHINGTON, Mar. 13.—Some decision as to the threatened strike of 400,000 railroad employees on the 250,000 miles of roads in the United States was expected to be forthcoming shortly, following a suddenly convened meeting today of delegates from brotherhood locals with the four big brotherhood chiefs.

Utmost secrecy continued to surround the moves of the brotherhood men today.

The only thing that could be learned regarding today's meeting was that the call was issued several days ago from Cleveland and that all delegates called were to be "as quiet as possible" about the matter. It was indicated, however, that the statement promised yesterday might be made today.

No promise was made, however, that a strike will not be called now.

The letter declared the brotherhoods will meet with the railroad managers Thursday. They will then make a determined effort to reach some agreement. The brotherhood chiefs "hope to be successful." The letter does not mention any strike order to be used in the event that the Thursday meeting fails. This strike order, it has been reported, sets Saturday night as the time for starting a "progressive strike" which will begin on eastern roads and spread to others. The order was the big subject under discussion at today's meeting between brotherhood chiefs and local delegates at the Bijou Theater here.

President Wilson is keeping in close touch with the situation through Secretary of Labor Wilson, but as yet has taken no hand in the matter.

No Strike in Event of War, Trainmen's Stand

WASHINGTON, Mar. 13.—The spectre of the threatened nation-wide railroad strike that disappeared at the close of the session last summer when the Adamson 8-hour law was pushed through Congress, loomed up again today.

One point, however, was emphasized by the brotherhood leaders, who will confer with the railroad heads in New York Thursday.

In the event of hostilities there will be no strike. Should a strike be caused and war come in the meantime, any strike would be called off instantly. The brotherhoods "will not climb to victory on the nation's misfortune."

In the event of a strike it is believed conditions at this time would be even worse, in view of high food prices, than when the strike was threatened last summer. A strike before April, it was pointed out, also might delay the called extra session of Congress, since it would be impossible for senators and representatives from far-away states to reach Washington on time.

W. G. Lee, Warren S. Stone, W. S. Carter and E. L. Sheppard, the four big brotherhood chiefs, here to attend the conference of the nation's leaders of labor who are deciding what labor's part shall be in any war, continued ominously silent on the strike question.

"We neither confirm nor deny that a strike call will be issued," said their spokesman.

As evidence of their determination not to embarrass the government in an emergency, the brotherhood chiefs, without argument, voted with the labor council unanimously to uphold a resolution expressing the willingness of more than 2,000,000 members of organized labor as represented by the brotherhoods and the American Federation of Labor, to "do their bit and do it with all their energy" in any national emergency that may arise.

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MERCHANTS NEED BACKBONE SAYS CREDIT EXPERT HITCHCOCK

Business Success Depends On Collections and Elimination of Dead Beats

Progressive business men of Santa Ana will protect their business from excessive loss on account of dead beats and extravagant buying by those who avail themselves of credit, if the movement started last night at the Merchants and Manufacturers' Association banquet at Odd Fellows' hall to institute a credit bureau is carried to its final organization.

H. P. Rankin, A. N. Zerman, J. G. Morrow, J. C. Horton and J. S. Hill were this morning appointed by President A. G. Flagg to work out the details and organize the bureau.

Eighty-six men representative of the various lines of business conducted in the city attended the banquet and were enthused by the splendid addresses of A. J. Pickarts, president, and E. M. Hitchcock, manager, of the Retail Merchants Credit Association.

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"Pape's Diapepsin" is Quickest, Surest Stomach Relief Known Try It!

—Time it! Pape's Diapepsin will sweeten sour, gassy or out-of-order stomach within five minutes.

If your meals don't fit comfortably, or what you eat lies like a lump of lead in your stomach, or if you have heartburn, that is usually a sign of acidity of the stomach.

Get from your pharmacist a fifty-cent case of Pape's Diapepsin and take a dose just as soon as you can. There will be no sour risings, no belching of undigested food mixed with acid, no stomach gas or heartburn, fullness or heavy feeling in the stomach, nausea, debilitating headaches or dizziness. This will all go, and besides there will be no sour food left over in the stomach to poison your breath with nauseous odors.

Pape's Diapepsin helps to neutralize the excessive acid in the stomach which is causing the food fermentation and preventing proper digestion.

Relief in five minutes is waiting for you at any drug store.

These large fifty-cent cases contain enough "Pape's Diapepsin" to usually keep the entire family free from stomach acidity and its symptoms of indigestion, dyspepsia, sourness, gases, heartburn, and headache, for many months. It belongs in your home—Advertisement.

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of Los Angeles.

Hitchcock declared that 95 per cent of the business of this country is done on credit—the passing of checks being a form of credit. He may properly be termed the "father" of the credit association in Los Angeles, for it was through his initiative that the organization in Los Angeles became effective. Prior to the organization's institution, merchants of Los Angeles were losing from three-quarters of one per cent to 2 per cent on their annual sales because of bad accounts. There was a lack of co-operation among the business men in the protection of each other from buyers who abused the privilege of credit. Within a year or two after the organization of the association that loss was reduced to one-fourth of one per cent in general lines and to one-tenth in dry goods merchandising.

Dead Beats Eliminated

Through co-operation of the business men, it is now impossible for a dead beat to beat more than one member of the organization, where before the same man might beat half a dozen or more. Applicants for credit at any of the stores must sign a statement giving the names and locations of firms with which they have been doing business and bank references, if they have such. The opening of an account is denied until such a time as the references can be investigated and a report made by the manager of the credit association. A card index giving complete information on every one running a credit account is kept by the association, and if a man who has been enjoying the privilege of credit at one store wishes to transfer his business to another store and makes application for credit, the manager of credits at the latter store at once telephones to the association for a statement on the applicant. If it is found that he has not settled his accounts at the store from which he wishes to withdraw his patronage, he is denied credit; if he has been prompt in his payments, he is extended the privilege of opening an account.

Banks of Los Angeles render the association every assistance, while banks in outside cities have refused to co-operate with the organization to the extent of giving information asked for.

Hitchcock endorsed the following taken from a bulletin recently issued by the Philadelphia Credit Men's Association:

Important Stages in Merchandising
"Merchandising of today is based upon three very important stages: First, goods must be well bought; second, there must be a proportionately good sale wherein there is a profit and a satisfied customer; third, but not least in importance, is the collecting for goods sold on credit, for goods sold on credit and not paid for are not well sold, and strange to say, many merchants pay little attention to the collecting as a factor in the sale. They buy at a certain figure and sell at a certain figure and estimate the proportionate overhead expense and they think they have arrived at a basis of profit, but if the collected price is not equal to the selling price plus interest and expense of collecting then that selling price cannot be figured as a basis of profit. Figuring interest on his average carry-over on his books must be done to arrive at his correct profit."

Packhouse and persistency in collecting are essential to business success, in the opinion of Hitchcock.

Commercial Jealousy Evil
"Commercial jealousy is one of the greatest evils that exists in most cities where credit associations do not exist," said the manager. "I believe associations of this kind tend to broaden the commercial view of merchants, brings them into closer relationship socially and commercially, inspires them with a more kindly spirit toward their competitors."

"There are a great many firms doing a successful credit business, but they keep a close watch on collections and insist on prompt payments. Do you merchants present ever stop to think that when you allow long standing accounts that you encourage your customers to patronize cash stores as well as increase the sales of your competitors? This is due to the fact that when any of your customers are owing you what they themselves consider their limit with you, they do not enter your store to purchase for cash, but go to your competitors' stores and will so continue to do until they have paid your bill, therefore you are losing this trade by letting their account run."

Merchants Need Backbone
"What merchants need is backbone. They are always afraid if they say no the other merchant will get the business. But when you know that you are not justified by good business principles in extending the credit, you will ultimately find that NO was correct and it was good judgment to let

the other merchant have the business. Where credit associations do not exist many people live on the merchants by charging and never paying. There being no co-operation among the merchants allows them to go from one to the other without the knowledge preceding them."

"As a friend of mine, a merchant of Los Angeles, said to me the other day: 'See that fellow walking ahead of us?' I said yes. He said, 'He is what I call a human dynamo.' Why? I asked. He said, 'Because everything he has on is charged.'"

He advised associations of merchants to prevent cut-throat policies. In illustration of his point, he cited organizations in Los Angeles where agreements had been reached on the conduct of sales only at certain times, and that the agreement was being lived up to with advantage to every business house identified with it.

Handling Credit Applicants

President Pickarts talked briefly on the method of handling applicants for credit, and declared that the most important feature of business success is collecting. He deemed it good business policy to take in hand a credit customer who is abusing his credit privilege and give him a little fatherly advice. If the creditor is buying beyond his means simply because he has the privilege of credit, the merchant will do that man good turn and make a friend of him by calling him into his office for a little confidential chat and advice. In the denying of further credit to one who is overstepping himself a little, the merchant may give offense to some, but on the whole he will gain by doing so. The business of the one who would take offense and withdraw his patronage had better be lost than to let him accumulate an account that he could not possibly pay. Instances were recited where in cities without credit associations men earning a salary of only \$18 a week owed bills at different stores varying in totals from \$700 to \$800. He could not pay the bills in a lifetime on the savings he could effect as between his actual needs and his salary. Co-operation through a credit association made it possible for all merchants having accounts against one man to eventually get the full amount, whereas with the association, one merchant would take whatever course he deemed necessary to get a settlement of his account, and in doing so would tie up the creditor's tangible assets, get his money and leave the others without a possible chance of getting what was due them.

Mothers can rest easy after giving this harmless "fruit laxative," because it never fails to cleanse the little one's liver and bowels and sweeten the stomach and they dearly love its pleasant taste. Full directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups printed on each bottle.

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A table full of Worthmore Waists at \$1.00.

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Henderson Corsets
for all styles of figures
and at a large range
of prices, \$1.00 and up.

SCHOOL TRUSTEES SIGN FOR PAVING

MEXICAN JUMPED IN TIME TO AVOID THE FATE OF HIS HORSE

Yesterday afternoon Valentino Cruz, a Mexican, appeared at the courthouse and wanted some one to make George Spangler pay for the horse that was killed when Spangler's machine wrecked a buggy east of Bolsa Sunday night. Cruz said that he was driving along without a light and on the left side of the street when he saw the automobile bearing down upon him. He jumped, and fell face down. When he got up the wreckage was well down the road, and in the excitement that followed Cruz failed to make ownership of the horse known. That was why it was supposed the horse was running loose on the road. Cruz has not yet collected from Spangler, who thinks that if anyone is entitled to damages it is he.

INFANTILE PARALYSIS HITS SOUTH AMERICA

SANTIAGO, Chile, Mar. 13.—A good deal of infantile paralysis having been reported in South America lately, Chile has established inspection corps at Arica, Punta Arenas, Uspallata, and in the Andean passes. In spite of all precautions there has been some Chilean cases of the disease.

M'Coy Outpointed

NEW YORK, March 13.—Paddy Murphy outpointed "New Al" McCoy in ten rounds.

LEONARD BEATS TILLMAN

PHILADELPHIA, March 13.—Benny Leonard, New York lightweight, defeated Johnny Tillman of Minneapolis in six rounds.

CHIP AFTER DARCY

YOUNGSTOWN, O., March 13.—George Chip, the New Castle miner, is again hot on the trail of Les Darcy. His latest claims are based on last night's performance here in knocking out "Caveman" Bob Moha in the fourth stanza of their twelve round bout. It was the first time Moha had ever been knocked out.

WALLACE GETS DECISION

DENVER, Colo., March 13.—Otto Wallace, Milwaukee lightweight, won the decision over Kid Mex of Pueblo after fifteen rounds of hard battling.

Have you a house for rent? Use the Register's classified ads.

THIS COUNTY LEADS IN ATTENDANCE AT LEADER CONFERENCE

Orange County Y. M. C. A. again stood first in the number of representatives at the leaders' conference, held at Pomona Sunday afternoon and evening. Twenty-seven leaders of clubs in this county made the trip by machine and enjoyed the conference. Albert E. Roberts, international secretary of County Y. M. C. A. work, was the main speaker, although state and county secretaries and leaders added to the affair. Roberts emphasized the need of super-men in the trying times which are ahead after the close of the war. These, he stated, will have to come most largely from the rural districts. Hence there is a tremendous responsibility upon the leaders of this movement on the rural districts who have as their aim the development of character.

The following representative men of Orange County were in attendance: Prof. Deaver, Martin Warren, Coach Smith, Glen Tidball, and Theo. Moyle of Santa Ana; Rev. McDougal, Arthur Lindsey, and W. A. Jones of Tustin; A. B. Crane and Andrew Moore of Wintersburg; J. G. Allen, P. M. Germann, Coleman Hickey, Waldo Tournet and Ruel Reed of Garden Grove; Floyd Watson, Prof. C. E. Teach, Prof. Thomas, Prof. Schmitt, Dayton Ditchie, Danna Spicer and Sherman Gillogly of Orange; Prof. Prince and Irving Quarton of Anaheim; Neil Miles of Fullerton, and R. G. Cole.

The next leaders' meeting will be held in Santa Ana this Saturday evening, when a banquet will be served, probably at the Spaulding Memorial Church, and Prof. Cranston will continue with his study on "Leadership."

Brings Oaks Home

OAKLAND, Calif., Mar. 13.—Del Howard brought 13 Oaks here today for some home grounds practice preparatory to meeting the Chicago Cubs tomorrow. The squad will also meet the Cubs in two more games and the University of California twice this week.

Haefling Victor

ROCHESTER, N. Y., March 13.—Corona Kid of New York was badly beaten by Freddie Haefling, the Wilkesbarre wizard here.

WOMEN PLUNGE NINE STORIES IN ELEVATOR

NEW YORK, Mar. 9.—Twelve women shirtwaist operatives in an elevator in the eleven-story loft building of 10 West Thirtieth street were plunged from the ninth floor to the basement. All escaped serious injury except one, whose ankle was fractured. The others were severely jarred and suffered from hysteria.

A substance somewhat resembling meat, although much coarser, was described as a meat substitute. There was a similar food which is boiled with potatoes to make soup thicker. Potatoes so small that they were formerly thrown away are now cherished. Mrs. Flicker said. She brought over some no larger than a marble.

Sewed under the lining of her cloak. Mrs. Flicker concealed a cloth bearing messages to relatives in this country from Lithuanians. These brief letters told of deaths in the families and begged for help.

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SCHOOL CHIEFS' CONCLAVE GETS RESULTS, SAYS CRANSTON

S. A. Superintendent, Home, Is Enthusiastic Over Stimulating K. C. Meeting

That the inspiration resulting from the free discussion of ideas brought by many men from practically every section of the United States was the biggest and most helpful feature of the national convention of the National Education Association's department of school superintendents, which recently closed at Kansas City, was the opinion of City School Superintendent J. A. Cranston, who returned last night from the big conclave.

It is the personal touch and the exchange of new views regarding education that are productive of the greatest good at a convention such as the one held at Kansas City," said Superintendent Cranston today. "There were 4000 at the convention, presidents of normal schools, universities and colleges, and state, city and county superintendents.

Standardization

"One of the big things that came up for a large share of discussion was the subject of standardization of public school work and public school systems. This is a matter that has been advocated for years and is coming in for an over-increasing share of attention. The question of surveys in connection with standardization of work was also discussed and the sentiment of the convention was that surveys are not productive of as much good as they might be owing to the fact that they generally are conducted too hurriedly and that those making the surveys are too ready to introduce revolutionary methods without ground having been sufficiently broken in advance."

Cranston stated that the value of vocational guidance in public schools



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was emphasized at the convention the consensus of opinion was that for the teacher to learn what a pupil's natural abilities are, and then to adapt the child to his environment is one of the most important things that a teacher can do.

The convention went almost unanimously on record as being opposed to military training in schools.

The next convention will be held at Atlanta, Ga., probably during the same time it was held this year, from February 26 to March 3.

Visits Minnesota

Leaving Kansas City, Cranston went to Minnesota, where, at Minneapolis, he visited with his brother, R. W. Cranston. Public schools were visited at Minneapolis by the Santa Ana Superintendent. The Minneapolis grammar schools, Cranston believes, are superior to those in California. This is due, Cranston stated, to the fact that in Minnesota teachers are allowed to assign home work to the pupils. In California there is a law against this. The California high schools are better than those in Minnesota, Cranston believes.

Business in Minneapolis Cranston found rather dull. Cranston was unable to determine exactly the reason for this sluggishness, but he believes that it was partly due to the unusually severe winter which has obtained throughout the Middle West. Twenty-four below zero weather was encountered by Cranston at Minneapolis on March 3. The city at times has been blanketed with three feet of snow on the level. A snow storm delayed Cranston one day on his return trip to California.

While in Minnesota Cranston also visited St. Cloud and Elk River, at both of which towns he was superintendent before coming to Santa Ana.

KEEP URIC ACID OUT OF JOINTS

Tells Rheumatism Sufferers to Eat Less Meat and Take Salts

Rheumatism is easier to avoid than to cure, states a well-known authority. We are advised to dress warmly; keep the feet dry; avoid exposure; eat less meat, but drink plenty of good water.

Rheumatism is a direct result of eating too much meat and other rich foods that produce uric acid which is absorbed into the blood. It is the function of the kidneys to filter this acid from the blood and cast it out in the urine; the pores of the skin are also a menace of freeing the blood of this impurity. In damp and chilly cold weather the skin pores are closed thus forcing the kidneys to do double work, they become weak and sluggish and fail to eliminate the uric acid which keeps accumulating and circulating through the system, eventually settling in the joints and muscles causing stiffness, soreness and pain called rheumatism.

At the first twinge of rheumatism get from any pharmacy about four ounces of Jad Salts; put a tablespoonful in a glass of water and drink before breakfast each morning for a week. This is said to eliminate uric acid by stimulating the kidneys to normal action, thus ridding the blood of these impurities.

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CLEVELAND HIRES SCHOOL DIRECTOR

CLEVELAND, March 13—September first Dr. Frank E. Spaulding will become absolute dictator over the public schools of the Sixth City. There by the city sets aside the school board to try an experiment. Dr. Spaulding will receive \$12,000 a year, said to be the most ever paid a school head in the United States.

One of the first things Dr. Spaulding will do, he says, is to test all teachers' efficiency, weed them out and raise all salaries of those remaining. He has been head of the Minneapolis schools, where he put the school board to one side except in discussing policies.

There also he abolished all standing committees of the board and handled all executive matters himself, used his own text books and paid the royalties to the school fund, gave normal school students jobs as "cadet" teachers with pay, threw the school buildings wide open to the public for meetings held staff meetings of teachers, started "opportunity rooms" for backward students, doubled the number of kindergartens and placed them under a competent director.

He also mapped out a school building program covering a period of years, established two year high school courses for commercial and technical students and made inducements to keep boys and girls in school when they showed signs of quitting.

OLIN BEATS ROLLER

CHICAGO, March 13.—Displaying wonderful strength, but showing little in the line of scientific wrestling, John Olin, Worcester, Mass., Finnish grappler, pinned Dr. B. F. Rollier of Seattle to the mat in straight falls here last night. The first fall came in 47:51 with a reverse body lock and the second in 4:50 with a body scissors.

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THE housekeepers of Santa Ana are showing their appreciation of the efforts of Chef A. L. Wyman, by crowding the storeroom at 412 North Main street, every afternoon. This is an exceptional opportunity for housewives to secure new and unusual recipes as Chef Wyman will give any recipes or any directions that may be asked for, for the preparation of any dish known to modern cookery.

Tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 the Chef will prepare and serve Martha Washington Sponge Cake, French Fry Cakes, German Meat Loaf with Noodles, Sweet and Sour Sauce, and a new salad and salad dressing.



TODAY TO ISSUE MRS. GAY WINNER IN THEATER CONTEST

Last evening the Orange County Bicycle Association held a meeting at Livsey's to take up details of the May 5 Bicycle Day and 15-mile road race. The entry blanks will be issued today and placed in every bicycle store in the county. Until this meeting several details as to entering were not settled upon as the race is limited to Orange county riders.

Mrs. Gay is a widow with two children. Asked to what she attributed her success she replied:

"I just rode my old 'bike' all over the country, from the Irvine section to the Fullerton oil wells. The men in the oil wells bought tickets 'just to help me out,' they said. Then I talk pretty fast," laughed Mrs. Gay, "and that helped considerably."

Mrs. Gay states she is going to sell her Chevrolet to the highest bidder "I need the cash more than I need the machine," she said. "I'd like to keep it and give everybody who was kind enough to purchase a ticket from me a good long ride, but I can't afford the luxury."

There will be at least twelve divisions in the parade and it is now expected that the Boy Scouts will make a good showing in line.

Charles Fuller Gates of Los Angeles, who is helping the local dealers to get up Bicycle Day, was present last night and will spend a day or more in this locality each week helping to make Bicycle Day a success.

KIDDIES GIVE QUEER ANSWERS IN TESTS

PHILADELPHIA, March 13—"Polio-melitis is a brand of New York breakfast food," wrote a young grammar school miss in a "general information test" given to all the pupils of Germantown Friends School here.

Two other definitions for the word were perhaps just as venturesome. One little Johnny called it "the result of liquor," and a demure though conscientious lass branded it as "the worship of more than one god." Then there were other answers, like these:

"The first woman in Congress was Betsy Ross."

"The character Naaman appears in Omar Kajamm."

"The ukulele is an instrument of torture."

"The underground railway is the method of communication with Congress revived by President Wilson."

"A mediator is a piece of hot iron shooting through the sky."

"Shadow Lawn is noted for the Slaughter of 1916."

MODERN LOCHINVAR ENDS FAMILY FEUD

CHICAGO, Mar. 9.—The historic family feud between the Montagues and the Capulets wasn't a circumstance compared to the differences of the Dukes and Fricanas. Only the latter have had more luck than did Mr. Romeo and his ill-fated lady friend, Juliet.

Miss Lillian Duko, 15 and sure she loves her Romeo, is the Juliet of this story. Alfred Fricana appears in the role of Romeo.

For months Alfred had begged Lillian to marry him. For months she had refused because of the feud.

Alfred waited for Lillian when she left her home at 1125 Larrabee street one day for work. Right in front of her mother he seized her, bundled her into an automobile and "stepped on 'er" all the way to the minister's.

That night, after the police had scoured the Italian district in vain for Lillian, Alfred called up her ragging pa.

"Bring my daughter home," thundered Mr. Duko.

Alfred made some un-Shakespearean replies. Then Lillian "cut in" on the wire and soothed the parental temper.

"Oh, I guess it's all right," said Papa Duko last night. "I'll guess we have to shake hands all around and call the family war off. Alfred must be a pretty smart boy to steal Lillian right under my nose."

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DOINGS OF CLUBS
PERSONALSROUND THE CORNER CLUB
Mrs. Ruby Hickox Hostess
Carries Out Orange Day
Scheme Yesterday

Members of the 'Round the Corner Club and guests were very delightfully entertained yesterday afternoon by Mrs. Ruby Hickox on French street, the affair being in honor of Orange day.

A profusion of glowing California poppies, marigolds and waxy orange blossoms were artistically arranged in baskets.

During the afternoon social conversation and needlework were enjoyed and each member wrote a letter to Mrs. W. H. Smith, who is at Elsinore. Mrs. Hickox was assisted by her daughters, Misses Ruth and Jewel Hickox and Mrs. Carlton Garnett of Los Angeles.

One of the most popular of the guests was little Miss Amelia Patricia McCarthy, who made her debut into society, being just one month old.

Delicious refreshments were served on individual trays and carried out on the prevailing motif.

Members present were Mmes. E. E. Keech, D. Eymann Hua, F. P. Jayne, A. M. Gardner, H. F. Stone, S. M. Davis, L. B. Sprague, M. C. Budrow, Ruby Hickox. The guests were Miss Minnie Gardner, Mrs. Manuela Budrow, Mrs. Homer Peek, Mrs. Keith of Minneapolis, Mrs. Kellogg McCarthy, Royal Edward and Amelia Patricia of Santa Barbara and Mrs. Carlton Garnett of Los Angeles.

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Peanut Butter, lb. 13c
Vinegar, gallon 25c
Oysters, 15c quality, can 10c
Spaghetti, can 6c
Voght's Phil. Scrapple, large can 20c
Small can 12c
Pure Olive Oil, gal. \$2.00
2 large cans whole Pineapple 25c
Toilet Soap, 7 bars 25c
White Bear Soap, 7 bars 25c
Talcum Powder, 3 cans 10c
Hydro Pura, large pkg. 18c
Tuna, large can 20c
Libby's Milk, 3 cans 25c
Saniflush, can 20c
Fancy Potatoes, 6 lbs. 25c
Fresh Creamery Butter, lb. 37c
Walnuts, 2 lbs. 37c

The evening was pleasantly spent with fancy work and the working out of various puzzles also afforded much amusement.

Delicious refreshments of coffee and home-made cake were served.

PLEASANT EVENING

Friends Meet With Miss Mildred Britton, Hear Letter From Former Member

One of the pleasant first of the week social events among the younger set was a gathering yesterday evening of a company of friends at the home of Miss Mildred Britton on South Sycamore street.

The time was happily passed with needlework, chat and lively music and the guests enjoyed hearing a lengthy letter from Miss Mena Miller, a former member of the circle, who lives in Udall, Kansas, and who was greatly missed this winter.

Miss Britton carried out a St. Patrick motif in her dining room appointments, serving a two-course collation, carrying out the green and white tones. The table was centered with a wicker basket with fluffy loops of green tulle adorning its handle and filled with green carnations and ferns.

The favors were tiny green flags on a white polo moored to a dainty sandwich. The napkins were trimmed with leaves of Shamrock with Irish lads and lassies.

Present were Misses Irene Craemer, Esther Fluor, Alice Huntington, Edna Meyer, Helene McNeil, Gertrude Potts and Grace White.

The next meeting will be held with Miss Irene Craemer.

MONTHLY MEETING

Philathaea Class First Baptist Church Transacts Business; Social Time

The Philathaea class of the First baptist church held one of its interesting monthly meetings last evening at the home of Mrs. J. Wiley Harris. In keeping with the season, the decorations were suggestive of St. Patrick's day.

An interesting letter was read from Miss Viola Hill of Ningpo, China, in appreciation of some Christmas remembrances sent her by the class.

Among items of business transacted, it was decided to send money to help support one of the destitute children of Belgium for a year.

The evening was pleasantly spent with fancy work and the working out of various puzzles also afforded much amusement.

Delicious refreshments of coffee and home-made cake were served.

C. W. B. M. Meeting

The regular monthly meeting of the C. W. B. M. will be held in the ladies' parlor of the Christian Church Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 and all who are interested in missions are earnestly requested to attend.

This meeting will close the first quarter and those who have not paid the day's support are reminded, as it is hoped to begin a clean page.

Mrs. W. T. Mitchell will lead the meeting and will be ably assisted by Mrs. Ward Ditchey, Mrs. M. Callahan and Mrs. Hugh Gerrard. There will be special music.

Day Nursery Teas

Mrs. E. M. Nealey was one of yesterday's hostesses for Day Nursery teas, and in serving her refreshments each guest found upon her tray a little blue teapot with an attached nursery rhyme, such as "Little drops of water, little leaves of tea; Make the Day Nursery what it ought to be."

Miss Katherine Lutz was also a hostess yesterday and Mrs. George Spangler and Mrs. Louise Potts are entertaining today.

St. Patrick's Social

The Daughters of Veterans met in G. A. R. hall on Monday afternoon with a good attendance.

It was decided to hold a St. Patrick's social at the home of Mrs. W. H. Thomas, March 20.

SHAKESPEARE PROGRAM

Ebelle Music Section Delighted With Selections, Mrs. Rafferty In Charge

The meeting of the Ebelle Music Section yesterday at the home of Mrs. Theo. Winbiger was one of the most delightful in the history of the class, which, however, has had many programs of note.

Mrs. Fred Rafferty, who was in charge of yesterday's program on Shakespeare's songs, in old-time and modern settings, was highly complimented upon the well-selected list.

The program was as follows:

Paper, "England Historically and Musically in Shakespeare's Time," Mrs. Rafferty.

Reading, Excerpt from Shakespeare relating to the following songs, Mrs. Wedell.

Song, "It Was a Lover and His Lass" (a) (Mrs. Arne).

Song, "It Was a Lover and His Lass" (b) (Arthur Foote) Mr. Revill.

Sketch of the Life of Morley, Miss Fannie Smart.

Reading, Excerpt from Shakespeare relating to the following song, Mrs. Wedell.

Song, "Where the Bee Sucks" (Dr. Arne).

Reading, Excerpt from Shakespeare relating to the following title, Mrs. Wedell.

Piano Solo, "Hark, Hark, the Lark" (Schubert-Lisz) Miss Johnson.

Sketch of the Life of Dr. Arne, Miss Smart.

Reading, Excerpt from Shakespeare relating to the following song, Mrs. Wedell.

Song, "Under the Greenwood Tree" (Dr. Arne).

Reading, Excerpt from Shakespeare relating to the following song, Mrs. Wedell.

Duet, "I Know a Bank" (Horn) Mrs. Campau and Mrs. Rafferty.

Sketch of the Life of Horn, Miss Smart.

Reading, Excerpt from Shakespeare relating to the following song, Mrs. Wedell.

Song, "Blow, Blow, Thou Winter Wind" (Sargent) Mrs. Slabaugh.

Piano Solo, Wedding March and Elfin Dance (Mendelssohn-Lisz) Mrs. Arnold Peek.

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Farewell Evening

Miss Edna Burge was the hostess at a delightfully informal evening yesterday at her East First street home. The affair was given for William Waston, who left for Utah today.

A pleasant evening was spent with cards.

A two course collation was served in the artistic dining room, in which a St. Patrick motif was carried out, the centerpiece being green carnations.

Those enjoying the evening were, besides the honored guest, Misses Elizabeth Paine, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Preston, William and Alice Burge, William Kneen and Robert Paine.

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For Civic Welfare

The great need in Santa Ana for a choral organization has prompted the forming of the Choral Art Club, which gives its first concert Monday, March 19, at the Temple Theatre.

A good chorus is a great factor in building up the artistic side of a community, and the aim of this club is to assist in Santa Ana's civic as well as musical pride. Baltimore, and has many small cities have their municipal orchestras, bands or choruses. It has frequently been proven that music is a great civic asset.

Holmes Bishop has had wide experience in directing, and has already shown much capability in bringing the club's singing to a high standard, in its mere two months of existence. He is very much pleased with the progress shown, and this, with the splendid quality of voices, causes him to predict many possibilities for the future.

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Alliance Meeting

The monthly alliance meeting of the Immanuel Baptist Church will be held Wednesday, March 14, afternoon and evening. Mrs. Isaac Hess of China will speak, also Rev. G. W. Davis of Los Angeles will speak in the afternoon on "Christ Filling the Universe," and in the evening, "What is the Time on God's Dial."

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P. T. Meeting

The Parent Teacher Association of Intermediate school will have a meeting tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock.

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Grand Opera Attraction

The Lyceum committee is scouring the town to secure a grand piano for the use of Myrna Sharlow, who will be the attraction tomorrow evening at the opera house in a splendid program. Miss Sharlow refuses to appear in any program unless accompanied by a grand piano and the committee is de-

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FASHION LETTER

BY MARGARET MASON
(Written for the United Press)

On Monday she was a saintly nun.

On Tuesday a Carmen bold,

On Wednesday she was the harem's pride,

In veins and an anklet gold;

On Thursday night in a cheesecloth scarf.

She went as a piece of cheese,

On Friday night as "The breath of Spring."

She started to sneeze and sneeze;

Saturday found her a red cross nurse.

Most terribly cross and red,

After a week of costume balls

She really was almost dead;

But even then on the Sabbath morn,

She wasn't herself they said,

For she was a pink pajama girl.

When they tucked her into bed,

NEW YORK, March 13—Masquerades and costume fêtes certainly seem to be growing on us. If only the costumes themselves could grow on us it wouldn't be so expensive.

Dressing up is the universal joy of all ages and nationalities. In all walks of life we find a penchant for it from infancy, when we are just beginning to totter.

There's this vast difference though between the dressing up of childhood and the dressing up of maturity. All you have to give the children as an excuse for dressing up is a bit of old ribbon or a discarded hat, but as an excuse for the dressing up of grown-ups you have to give an Arabian Nights' ball or an Old World fete.

The war, of course, has provided the best excuse of all for dressing up, with costume balls for all sorts of relief for all sorts of nations.

Consequently in the big American cities

is just one costume ball after another

and even out in Wamego, Kansas

and Adrian, Michigan, the cowboy suits and toreadors, the Chinese kilims and Colonial gowns at the local costumers are almost worn to a thread.

Have you ever noticed how invariably people pick out their costumes to represent some character in direct antithesis to their ordinary everyday personality? They sort of cut loose as it were and let themselves be what they have secretly yearned to be in their innermost bosoms. For instance the meek drab little housewife and mother blossoms out into a deliciously seductive Carmen, Thais or Cleopatra.

The rather gay young person who makes up her lips and powders her nose runs to Quaker, nun or red cross nurse effects, while the portly and Amazonian Miss Vera Biggs comes as a baby doll or Little Bo Peep.

This works for males as well as the fair sex and Mr. Henpeck always masquerades as a swashbuckling grenadier or a bloodthirsty Corsair; Prof. Erasmus Highbrow as Little Boy Blue or Buster Brown and Deacon Goode as Don Juan or Mephisto.

Arabian Nights' balls, Russian fetes and masques of the gods have become a bit cloying after endless repetitions so that a recent benefit ball where all the guests came to represent some well-known advertisement was a welcome and diverting novelty. The costumes were most clever and unique and the idea will bear much repetition for private consumption. Possibilities for costumes are endless and beautifully simple. If you want to go as a dentist, just wear a smile and carry a toothbrush.

If you choose you may carry a spear, wear a corsage of mint leaves and go as a gum girl.

POLY CONFIDENT OF CAPTURING COUNTY MEET SATURDAY

'Flash' Raney Relied Upon to Bring Home Most Points; Others Loom Strong

Baseball, tennis and other branches of athletics must give way this week to that form of sport which answers to the name of track. This is the week that the cinder artists reign supreme and must be granted the majority of the publicity. For, this coming Saturday is scheduled the most important track and field meet of the season for every county high school and it is one of the most noteworthy of the south. St. Patrick's day will find all the athletes and followers of Orange, Fullerton, Huntington Beach, Anaheim and Santa Ana high schools gathering on the local oval to contest for the E. B. Smith trophy.

There is an air of supreme confidence out at the local institution of knowledge. That air is particularly noticeable whenever the well-built form of Skipper "Flash" Raney wends its way over hurdles or around the local track. Santa Ana fully relies on her youngest captain to bring home the bacon Saturday, single-handed, if need be and according to present indications "Flash" is going to accomplish the little trick.

To Enter 5 Events
Without a doubt, Raney will enter

JITNEY REGISTERS TO BE MADE BY DEACON

To engage in the manufacture of registers for jitney busses, E. L. Deacon, who recently disposed of his interest in the Crown Stage Line, will probably leave Santa Ana tomorrow morning for Los Angeles. Deacon is the inventor of the register he will make. He stated today that he already has orders for seventy of the devices. Deacon's plant will be located at 822 East Twenty-second street, Los Angeles.

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Loans and Discounts	568,301.17
Overdrafts	168.25
Bonds, Securities, etc.	73,331.72
U. S. Bonds	72,000.00
Redemption Fund	3,600.00
Federal Reserve Bank Stock	3,600.00
Furniture and Fixtures	18,844.84
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Capital Stock	\$100,000
Surplus and Profits	26,799.04
Circulation	72,000.00
Dividends Unpaid	66.00
Deposits	687,539.65

\$886,404.69

NEWPORT BEACH

TO BULKHEAD OR NOT, QUESTION FOR NEWPORT BEACH CITY

Sentiment Upon the Important Issue Is Divided Into Three Parts

NEWPORT BEACH, Mar. 13.—As a result of the meeting of the Board of Trustees last evening, the subject of ocean front protection was brought to life again and today the people of this city are discussing the general subject of bulkheads in the abstract as in the concrete.

The divisions brought about among the property owners on this subject resolve themselves into three broad classes:

1. Those who favor a concrete bulkhead.
2. Those who favor a wooden bulkhead.
3. Those who favor no bulkhead at all.

The first of these three classes is made up of those who are in the main committed to the plan of Foster W. Harding of Santa Ana, for a concrete bulkhead. Harding has been experimenting for several years upon this subject and has recently evolved from his theories of ocean front protection, a practical plan for the construction of a bulkhead which he maintains will accomplish the desired purpose.

Through Harding's efforts a petition was presented to the board some months ago carrying the names of about sixty property owners who were favorable to his plan.

Then after a time a counter petition was presented signed by several of the same persons signing the Harding petition, placing themselves on record as being against the cement bulkhead. A number of the signers of the Harding petition in post card communications asked that their names be withdrawn.

A little later many asked that their names be put back on the petition, it seemed to be a kind of "on again, off again" proposition and as many of the communications and signatures were not dated, the intent of the signers appeared to be in doubt. The city clerk reported last evening that as nearly as was possible to ascertain, the Harding petition still contained about twenty-five names majority over the other petition.

Sample Section

It is Harding's idea within ten days to commence the construction along the ocean front at Newport Beach of a sample section of reinforced concrete slabs so designed as to make a continuous wall to any desired depth below the water-line of any thickness, and absolutely water tight. These slabs are so designed that after the first slab is placed in position, each slab thereafter creates a sand-tight compartment into which concrete is poured to anchor it to its predecessor, making a water-tight joining.

Harding stated last evening that the expense of his concrete bulkhead would be but little more than a similar structure of wood. It is his desire and intention to "show" the people who doubt that he is able to construct an absolutely water-tight slab.

Those who favor a wooden bulkhead are skeptical of the ability of Harding to construct a water-tight pilings or slab. They claim that the project of a concrete bulkhead is too big an experiment for this city to make at the expense of those who will be asked to pay the bills in the event of its possible failure. They point to the Seal Beach bulkhead as a practical demonstration of the success of the wooden bulkhead and are strong advocates of a similar method of protecting the front in this city.

The third class of property owners believe that a bulkhead of any kind whatsoever will be unnecessary within a short time. "Let the jetty do the work," they say and point to other wooden piers which have been built where the beach was built up by the action of the sand-drift caused by the construction of the jetty. They be-

lieve at least it is worth a trial. If the jetty will save the cost of a bulkhead along the front it will go a long way toward paying for itself, the supporters of this theory claim, and if it does not the city will be no worse off than it is at present.

The task of sifting the merits and demerits of the various theories of bulkhead construction was after some discussion left to the special bulkhead committee, consisting of Trustees Wilson and McCain, who will report at a later meeting.

Ferry Franchise

City Attorney Clyde Bishop, who is at present in Sacramento, submitted a tentative franchise for the proposed island ferry, as requested by the board at the last meeting. The franchise as drawn up by Bishop contains many provisions to safeguard the city's rights as well as the prospective investor, the most important of which is a clause which secures to the municipality the right to take the ferry over after a period of five years by an equitable reimbursement to the owner. The ferry matter was left to a committee to take the matter up with the prospective grantee and report at a later meeting.

J. P. Greeley spoke of the importance to the beach cities of Orange county of the completion of the road through the Santa Ana canyon before the opening of the summer season, and protested against the granting by the Board of Supervisors of a further extension of sixty days for the completion of the contract by H. C. Kellogg. After considerable discussion of this matter a motion was passed instructing the city attorney to prepare a resolution of protest to the Board of Supervisors against further delaying of the canyon road contract, and urging all possible speed in its completion.

The board will meet this afternoon in adjourned session to confer with Consulting Engineers Leedes and Larnard upon important matters relating to the jetty contract.

'HAY ROMANCES' WILL RESULT IF TYRELL MEASURE BECOMES LAW

SACRAMENTO, March 13.—Many a California girl has packed her name and address into a crate of oranges in the hope of catching a romance and perhaps a husband, and now the California country boy who pitches hay into a bale is to have his turn at the game, sanctioned and compelled by state law, if the governor signs the Tyrell bill which has passed the senate. It commands the hay baler to tag each bale of hay with his name, address and weight of the bale. Senator Tyrell admitted that he never bought any hay, sold any hay or eaten any hay, and no one had the cruelty to inform him that a cow can't read.

'IF YOU CAN TRAIN DOG, YOU CAN TRAIN SELF,' MAN'S THEORY

LOS ANGELES, Mar. 13.—If you can successfully train a dog, you can also train yourself with success.

This is the theory of a local animal trainer of long experience.

"If you can control a dog's emotions successfully and make him do your bidding, you can control your own emotions and make yourself mind," he said. "This is because you can't expect a dog to obey if you are not in good control of yourself. You can't teach a dog by beating or threats or display of lack of self control. Make him mind by continual suggestion, mildly persuading and rewarding. By this control of your own patience you will finally have the doggie on bidable terms with you."

MAIN STREET PROPERTY PASSES TO ORANGE MAN

The residence property at 1202 North Main street, generally known as Lee Hill property and recently owned by O. M. Durham, has passed to the possession of Harvey Garber of Orange. Durham exchanged his Main street holdings for a house and lot at Huntington Beach and a cash consideration.

TO WRESTLE STECHER

SAN FRANCISCO, Mar. 13.—Atone Irsa, giant Bohemian wrestler, will arrive here tomorrow and begin training for a bout here next week with Joe Stecher. The Bohemian, who weighs nearly an eighth of a ton, is not known in this section of the country.

Answers have not yet been filed, but when they are filed they will allege that the notes were secured through fraud and misrepresentation.

The Pacific States Finance & Holding Co. is the plaintiff in each case. Each complaint sets forth that the defendant in June, 1915, gave the International Indemnity Co. a note, and that note was transferred to the plaintiff, who sues.

The defendants will declare that the notes were given in payment for stock in the International Indemnity Co. with the understanding that if at the end of six months or some other period the investment was not satisfactory the notes would be promptly turned back to the givers.

The plaintiff is represented by Attorney N. Blackstock. The cases were originally filed in Los Angeles, but changes of venue to this county were secured. The first of the cases to arrive was that of Hugh La Rue, who is represented by Attorney H. C. Head.

Plead Not Guilty

Angelito Basquez and Leo Basquez, brothers, accused of participating with Mike Basquez, another brother, in the burglary of a house at Buena Park, today pleaded not guilty, and their trials were set for April 12. B. E. Turner is their attorney.

Divorce is Granted

Yesterday Judge Thomas granted an interlocutory decree of divorce to Ardina Barger against Ernest Barger.

CLEAR YOUR SKIN IN SPRING
Spring comes ready to help, cleaning inside and outside. Dull, plump skin is an aftermath of winter inactivity. Flush your intestines with a mild laxative and clean out the accumulated wastes; easy tasks that do not gripe. Dr. King's New Life Pill will clean your complexion and brighten your eye. Try Dr. King's New Life Pill tonight and throw off the sluggish winter shell. At druggists', 25c.

Brief Signs

PORTERVILLE, Cal., Mar. 13.—The Salt Lake training camp took on new energy today when Manager Bernhard announced that Bunny Brief, star first sacker, had signed a contract and would report in a few days. The Bee Yannigans beat the regulars yesterday 10 to 4.

Sebastian's Big Sale

IS NOW IN FULL SWING—THE SWEEPING REDUCTIONS WE ARE MAKING ARE DRAWING TRADE FROM FAR AND NEAR.

Prices must and will sell the goods. Here are a few of the thousands of bargains. Read them carefully:

Now Is the Time to Buy Shoes

A complete close out of our \$5000 stock of standard make of shoes at less than factory prices today. This is a golden opportunity to the buying public of Santa Ana and Orange county to save money. Don't miss this sale.

250 pairs Ladies' Oxfords and Pumps, all leathers, values to \$3.50, out they go at \$1.98

Men's Heavy Work Shoes, big assortment, \$3.00 and \$4.00 values, choice in lot \$2.50

1 lot of misses' SCHOOL SHOES, patent, vici, gun metal and tan leather, lace or button, values to \$3.50, closing out at \$2.19

MEN'S DRESS SHOES, worth today \$4.50 and \$5, vici or gun metal, closing out at \$3.19

1 lot ladies' and men's felt HOUSE SLIPPERS 29c

1 lot ladies' and misses' KID GLOVES, values to \$2.00, now per pair 75c

MEN'S HEAVY WORK SHIRTS, \$1.50 values, all warranted, now 98c

1 lot Embroidery INSERTION, values to 10c, now per yard 2c

15c Embroidery Edging, now 8c

35c Embroidery, now 17c

50c Embroidery, now 23c

1 lot BOYS' and GIRL'S CAPS, former price 50c, out they go at 10c

25 BOYS' 2-PIECE SUITS—all wool cashmere and serge, regular \$5 suits. Saturday \$2.98

NOTIONS

At a Great Saving

5c Darning Cotton 3c

25c Combs 10c

50c Purses 19c

Ladies' Handkerchiefs 3c

Needles, per pkg. 2c

10c Safety Pins, per card 4c

20c Ribbon, per yd. 10c

25c Ruching, per yd. 10c

Sebastian's Dept. Store

Santa Ana.

AT THE COURTHOUSE

ANSWERS GOING TO SAY FRAUD GOT NOTES

Three Cases Transferred Here Have Back of Them Story Of Stock Sale

The aftermath of the visit of a stock salesman in the Cypress and Buena Park sections developed in the superior court today when suits were brought on three notes, one for \$2000 against H. H. Covell of Cypress, one for \$1000 against Hugh La Rue of Cypress and one for \$500 against C. L. Spraker of Buena Park.

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CITY TRUSTEES

SAY OVER-ZEAL IS SHOWN IN GETTING PAVING, CALL HALT

DECLARED TOO MUCH PRESSURE BROUGHT TO GET SIGNATURES

Bush Street Job Set Back to the Tape, Parton Street Job Up in the Air

City to Have Ordinance to Make Ten-mile Speed Limit Near Schools

Last night the City Trustees set the brakes a bit on what is declared to be over-zealousness of contractors in getting paving contracts.

The talk was straight from the shoulder, and the end of the talk evidently is not yet. While no resolution was passed, the sentiment expressed indicates that there is a feeling against pushing paving too strongly on streets that are not much used.

The plain-spoken inference that property owners have been coerced into signing contracts developed the possibility that oftentimes what appears to be a majority petition for paving may not express the real desires of the majority of the frontage.

Bush Street

The first intimation of a slowing down of the paving campaign came last night when Trustee Greenleaf reported in favor of denying the petition to pave Bush street from Washington to Santa Clara. Greenleaf declared against even further considering paving Bush north of Twentieth street. Between Washington and Twentieth, he said a frontage of 1353 feet had signed, 880.42 are non-resident owners and 1238.75 are protesting against paving, while 978 feet of resident frontage has neither signed nor protested.

A. L. Dearing declared that it was unfair in estimating the frontage favorable to paving from Washington to Twentieth to count signatures that were given with the expectation that the street would be paved to Santa Clara.

McPhee took the same view, and on appeal to City Attorney Scott the opinion was given that the petition could not be granted fractionally.

Accordingly, the committee was discharged, and the Bush street paving project is at a standstill. If the plan to pave to Twentieth is gone ahead with, a new petition will be necessary.

Parton the Rock

It was the petition for paving Parton street, from Hickey to Washington, that spilled the beans last night. Greenleaf reported that on checking the petition and protest over he found that sixty per cent of the frontage had signed the contract and thirty per

DRINK A GLASS OF REAL HOT WATER BEFORE BREAKFAST.

Says we will both look and feel clean, sweet and fresh and avoid illness.

Sanitary science has of late made rapid strides with results that are of untold blessing to humanity. The latest application of its untiring research is the recommendation that it is as necessary to attend to internal sanitation of the drainage system of the human body as it is to the drains of the house.

Those of us who are accustomed to feel dull and heavy when we arise, splitting headache, stuffy from a cold, foul tongue, nasty breath, acid stomach, can, instead, feel as fresh as a daisy by opening the sluices of the system each morning and flushing out the whole of the internal poisonous stagnation.

Everyone, whether ailing, sick or well, should, each morning before breakfast, drink a glass of real hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it to wash from the stomach, liver and bowels the previous day's indigestible waste, sour bile and poisonous toxins; thus cleansing, sweetening and purifying the entire alimentary canal before putting more food into the stomach. The action of hot water and limestone phosphate on an empty stomach is wonderfully invigorating. It cleans out all the sour fermentations, gases, waste and acidity and gives one a splendid appetite for breakfast. While you are enjoying your breakfast the phosphated hot water is quietly extracting a large volume of water from the blood and getting ready for a thorough flushing of all the inside organs.

The millions of people who are bothered with constipation, bilious spells, stomach trouble, rheumatic stiffness; others who have sallow skins, blood disorders and sickly complexions are urged to get a quarter pound of limestone phosphate from the drug store. This will cost very little, but is sufficient to make anyone a pronounced crank on the subject of internal sanitation.

NORTH MAIN STREET BRIDGE COST \$30,000

Last night City Engineer C. C. Bonebrake and Engineer G. R. Wells submitted to the city trustees' tentative plans for the North Main street and the North Flower street bridges across the Santiago creek.

They estimate that a reinforced concrete bridge on North Main will cost \$30,000. As planned, the P. E. tracks will be in the middle, just as north of the bridge. The bridge will be 40 feet wide, with a 4-foot sidewalk on each side, leaving 32 feet for the roadway. The portion used by the P. E. will not be separated from the rest of the roadway.

The engineers plan a wood and steel-frame bridge for North Flower and estimate it will cost \$5600. Each bridge is designed to carry a live weight of a 20-ton steam roller.

Since the city has not yet had an understanding with the P. E. as to what share of the cost it shall stand, the report of the engineers was referred to the committee of the whole.

PROPOSE ORNAMENTAL LIGHTS, NORTH MAIN

It is proposed to extend ornamental lights out North Main street to the Santiago creek bridge.

At the meeting of the city trustees last night, City Trustee O. H. Maryatt declared himself in favor of establishing a lighting district to pay the cost of installation of the lights, and on his motion a report on the project will be received.

Mayor Visel said he was strongly in favor of the lighting of Main street. He suggested that the city pay for the installation, and the property owners meet the monthly lighting bill. He said the bill would amount to about 70 cents a month for each 50-foot lot on Main street. His suggestion was that the city continue the lighting it already has.

The proposal is regarded as timely because the plans for a new concrete bridge across the Santiago creek call for ornamental lights upon the bridge.

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McPhee said he would not vote in favor of the petition because when the Spurgeon Realty Company was compelled to pave Lacy and Sixth street last year it was promised that Fifth would not be forced down until the next year, and McPhee said it is too early in the "next year" to start Settle Halesworth.

The controversy over paving Halesworth between Broadway and Ross was settled. Part wanted concrete, part crushed rock and oil. Crushed rock had the best in the check-over, and an order for concrete paving was rescinded. A seal coat will be put on the street.

A petition to pave Garnsey between Hickey and Fifth with concrete was referred to Tubbs and McPhee for a report.

T. E. Chantry withdrew from a petition to open West Camille street. Unwillingly he had signed an agreement to give a strip for the street, and on that strip is his pump house. McPhee said that the best thing to do with the opening of Camille is to let it rest until the atmosphere clears. G. P. Hill wants two streets opened there, and McPhee said he did not think the city wanted to pay for the grading. The committee on the matter was discharged.

Up to Committee

Steele Finley said that the paving of Walnut from Orange to Oak and of Maple from First to Chestnut is ready to go ahead. The question as to who would pay for the frontage of Roosevelt school has held the matter up. He suggested that the city pay \$400, the school \$400 and the property owners \$400. The matter was referred to Tubbs and McPhee.

It was decided to change the crushed rock and oil specifications so that they shall provide for a seal coat of fine material and oil. The city engineer was instructed to draw the specifications. H. C. Kellogg suggested that heavy oil be used.

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A sidewalk on the south side of Lime between Ross and Parton, was ordered in, with no curbs. Greenleaf reported for the committee.

The committee to report on sidewalk on Highland near Shelton was continued.

Peddle Hot Dogs

Paul Griffin, an energetic boy, was given free a license to peddle "hot dogs" on any of the city streets except Fourth street.

The Edison Company was given permission to erect a big electric sign in front of its office.

The granting of a petition for paving Birch from Sixth to Tenth was withheld until the seal coat amendment is given the crushed rock and oil specifications.

Ornamental Lights

Visel said a property owner has spoken to him of a project to put ornamental lights on Spurgeon street from Washington to Fourth, the property owners to pay for installation and the city to pay for the juice. He said he doubted if the city would incur the expense and keep within its lighting fund.

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News From Huntington Beach

LAND INCLUDED IN WATER SALE PLAN OFFERED

\$160,000 Bond Issue Would Be Needed to Have City Swing Deal

HUNTINGTON BEACH, Mar. 13.—A new proposition has been submitted to the city by the Huntington Beach Company or the Huntington Beach Water Company, or both, relative to the purchase by the city of the water system now supplying the needs of the city. Under this proposition the valuation placed by the company upon the water system is reduced to \$105,000 which is somewhat closer to the estimate made by the city's committee than heretofore, but there is a fur-

HERE ARE MEMBERS OF COMMITTEES TO RUN CELEBRATION

The committees of the Chamber of Commerce in charge of the coast road celebration are as follows:

General Com.—E. E. French, C. R. Furr, Leonard Obarr and C. E. Lavering.

Finance Com.—H. L. Heffner, R. H. Chapin, C. W. Warner, J. K. McDonald, M. E. Helme.

Advertising and Publicity—W. E. Tarbox, J. J. Conrad, C. G. Boster.

Concessions—William C. O'Connor, D. W. Huston, F. H. McElfresh.

Booster Trip—Eugene Davis, Ed. Manning, Joseph Kagerer, W. T. Newland.

Music and Entertainment—C. T. Endicott, H. T. Dunning, R. C. Turner, Alex. P. Nelson.

Decorations—Charles R. Nutt, C. E. Kutzner, L. J. Hahn, Geo. W. Spencer.

Reception—Dr. F. E. Wilson, F. H. McElfresh, S. Floyd Keener.

Transportation—T. B. Talbert, H. L. Heffner, H. C. Decker.

Police—John Tinsley.

GAS CUT 25 CENTS PER 1000 FEET BY TRUSTEES

Rate For First 2000 Feet Is Now \$1.25, Councilmen Have Ordered

HUNTINGTON BEACH, Mar. 13.—The rate for gas to users of 2000 feet or less per month was reduced by the city trustees at their last meeting so that in the future the rate for the first 2000 feet or less will be \$1.25 per 1000 feet, which is 25 cents per 1000 less than the rate originally established and puts the consumers of small quantities of gas on the same basis as those using from 2000 to 5000 feet. It is possible that there may be a still further reduction for larger quantities in the near future. The ordinance changing the rate will be formally acted upon at the next meeting of the city trustees. The decision of the trustees coming at this time will doubtless have some effect on the attitude of the public toward city ownership of the water system.

ther condition that the city in order to buy the water system must also buy the water front from Second street to Sixth street at a valuation of \$55,000. This would necessitate a total bond issue of \$160,000 and there is some division of sentiment as to whether or not the city should accept a proposition which would entail the responsibility for the ocean front property.

The four blocks offered to the city include the frontage adjacent to the pier, also the bath house properties and some other improvements that have been made in that section. Some of the citizens think that the city should not undertake to manage its own amusement business, while others think that through this offer the city has an opportunity to secure property which in the near future will be worth many times the sum now asked and that it could be leased for a sum sufficiently large to pay the interest on the entire bond issue.

There is a strong sentiment in favor of the purchase of the water system if it can be had at a price which is just and reasonable. A few, however, are of the opinion that the distributing system is inferior and ought not to be purchased by the city at any price.

The city trustees have raised the salary of the city marshal, John Tinsley, from \$75 to \$90 per month. Mr. Tinsley has made a very satisfactory marshal.

HUNTINGTON BEACH, Mar. 13.—One hundred and twenty former students of the University of Illinois, of whom a number reside in Orange county, participated in a banquet in honor of founders' day of the University at Christopher's in Los Angeles on Saturday night. The University was founded March 11, 1868, and next year at this time celebrates its semi-centennial. The enrollment the first year was fifty-seven. At present the enrollment is about 7290.

The proposed pier day celebration of the Chamber of Commerce has been abandoned and in its place a celebration will be held on completion of the coast boulevard.

A proposition to hold a Chautauqua in Huntington Beach the last week of April or the first week of May was turned down by the Chamber of Commerce as it was not believed to be a desirable time of the year to launch such an enterprise.

One hundred and fifty dollars' worth of improvements have been made in the grounds of the public library.

Prof. Tully C. Knoles of the University of Southern California delivered the sermon at the First Methodist Church Sunday morning on the subject, "Self." There was a good attendance present and Dr. Knoles delivered an able address.

Dr. Knoles also addressed the High School students and faculty on Thursday morning of last week on the subject, "The Basis of American Patriotism." Dr. Knoles took up in turn several of the prominent nations of the world noted for their patriotism, such as Japan, Germany, France and England, and showed that there was a different basis in each one of these countries and that the basis in the United States was still different. He said that because the basis in the United States is so different, foreign countries fail to understand the spirit of the United States and even incline to the belief that there is not a strong patriotic spirit in America. The speaker showed that America's patriotism stands behind the fine institutions of the country and that it is stronger than that of the most patriotic of other countries.

Mrs. R. H. Dow has returned from Pasadena, where she was the guest of Mrs. H. T. Sundbye for several days.

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Condensed Report of Condition of

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OF SANTA ANA,

From Comptroller's Call March 5, 1917

RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts	\$1,320,106.06
United States Bonds	305,000.00
Other Bonds	202,217.50
Stock in Federal Reserve Bank	15,000.00
Overdrafts	169.14
Banking House	69,000.00
Five per cent. Redemption Fund	15,000.00
Cash on Hand and Due from Banks	1,030,902.16

\$2,957,394.86

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock Paid In	\$ 300,000.00
Surplus and Undivided Profits	326,890.05
Circulation	300,000.00
Deposits	2,030,504.81

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ther condition that the city in order to buy the water system must also buy the water front from Second street to Sixth street at a valuation of \$55,000. This would necessitate a total bond issue of \$160,000 and there is some division of sentiment as to whether or not the city should accept a proposition which would entail the responsibility for the ocean front property.

There have been many extensions of the gas service during the past few weeks and the gas department has difficulty in keeping up with the demands.

BEACH LAUNCHES BOULEVARD FETE

Highland Park and elsewhere. H. A. Benning won the bowling at the pavilion alleys last week with the score of 258 which is second highest on the local alleys.

Robert Gisler of Talbert has bought a Ford touring car and George Woodward of Wintersburg a Ford roadster through the local agency.

Rev. M. W. Coates has formed an organization of Boy Scouts with a membership of about twenty.

A. J. Winters, who has been at the Huntington Inn for the past two months, has returned to his home near Rocky Ford, Colo.

Mrs. H. J. Wright of Salzburg, Colo., who recently purchased the City Garage, has arrived in the city and occupies a residence on Ninth street.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Lash have returned from Elsinore and Murietta Hot Springs, where they spent a short vacation.

F. E. Graves of Villa Ridge, Ill., is in Huntington Beach on a visit. He expects to return to Villa Ridge accompanied by his mother, who has been staying with a daughter, Mrs. J. W. Bunschuh, for some months. Mr. Graves may decide eventually to come to Huntington Beach.

Mrs. Lucy P. Goddard has been entertaining her nephew, Frank Wade, of Hollywood and his wife, Mrs. Wade, who recently purchased the City Garage, has arrived in the city and occupies a residence on Ninth street.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Kerr and family have moved to Torrance, where Kerr will be in the employ of one of the big factories. Mr. Kerr and family have lived in Huntington Beach for twelve years. Kerr had charge of the first livery stable in the city, which was opened by George Phelps soon after Kerr's arrival. C. J. Yost and A. J. Hurst have bought the teams belonging to the Kerr Bros. and Geo. Kerr will accompany his brother to Torrance. Mrs. John Kerr and two daughters will remain in Huntington Beach for the present.

The following officers have been elected by the local organization of the W. C. T. U. for the ensuing year: Mrs. L. P. Ayes, president; Mrs. S. E. Hearn, vice president; Mrs. H. Grove, secretary; Mrs. S. Jennie MacDonald, corresponding secretary; Mrs. C. W. Warner, treasurer.

Harry Ames and family have moved into their new home on Eleventh street opposite the Methodist church.

The local lodge of Eastern Star will entertain the Grand officers of the lodge at the meeting Wednesday evening.

Sixteen members of the local Rebekah lodge attended the meeting of the Fiftieth district at Santa Ana last Wednesday evening and the lodge received the silver cup because of having the largest representation present.

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Ministers Declare the Method

Brutal—Congregation
Vote Unanimous

ORANGE, Mar. 13.—Two local church congregations went emphatically on record Sunday against the passage of the Pendergast bill, known as Assembly Bill No. 798, which condemns dogs held in public pounds to death on the tables of vivisectionists.

Declaring that the best medical opinion condemns the practice and that the humane sensibilities of Christian people are shocked by it, Rev. Galbraith at the morning service at the Baptist church severely censured the proposed measure. He said:

"The law now in force in this state provides for the disposal of all unclaimed animals in the public pounds by having them painlessly electrocuted. This is the most humane method thus far devised for handling such animals. There is a bill now before the legislature, viz., Pendergast Bill No. 798, which provides for the sale of unclaimed animals from all the public pounds throughout the State of California to medical colleges, for the purpose of vivisection.

"I have not the heart to describe this fiendish operation which is performed, presumably, to advance the science of medicine. Suffice it to say that the really great physicians of the world are agreed that nothing is gained by this horrible practice. That it blunts the finer sensibilities of the student there can be no doubt—your doctor is less a man and more a beast by reason of this practice. Should this bill become a law we can not expect that the next legislature will pass one giving these inhuman doctors access to our poor farms and insane asylums!

I believe in practical Christianity. Christ said: 'By their works ye shall know them. In order that our representatives in the Legislature may know the feeling of this congregation with reference to this bill, I am going to ask for a standing vote on the question, and I will make it my business to see that the senator and representative from this district are advised of these proceedings.'

The congregation, by a rising vote, went on record against the measures, unanimously

THE MARKETS

NEW YORK, Mar. 12.—Sixteen cars
navels, two mixed cars and three
cars lemons sold. Market higher on
oranges and lemons. Weather fair
NAVELS Avg
Mahala, L.V.W. Brown \$3.80
Swastika, L.V.W. Brown 3.25
Sorrento 2.85
Iris, D.M. Ex. 3.30
Gold Buckle, R.H. Ex. 3.75
LEMONS
Moose \$3.40
Pronghorn 3.20
EE 3.10

St. Louis Market

ST. LOUIS, Mar. 12.—Eight cars sold. Market stronger on oranges steady on lemons.

NAVELS Avg

Conqueror \$2.40
Freedom 2.35
Oh, How Good, J.A. Maddock. 2.80
LEMONS
Milano, Riv. Ex. \$3.15
Foothill 2.85
Pride 2.55

Cincinnati Market

CINCINNATI, Mar. 12.—Eleven cars sold. Market slightly lower on both oranges and lemons.

LOS ANGELES PRODUCE MARKET

The heavy frosts of the past two days has caused considerable damage to the potatoes which have been recently planted in the districts adjacent to Los Angeles.

Frost is also reported to have caused the death of a great many of the apricots in the San Fernando valley. The weather so far this winter and spring has been exceptionally severe on growing fruits and vegetables, not only in this state but all over the country.

Cold weather is causing another tightening in the local vegetable market and celery was advanced yesterday to \$1.60 and \$1.75 a dozen. The tomato situation is a trifle easier due to the advent of a large shipment from the western coast of Mexico.

DAILY MARKET REPORT (Corrected daily by telephone from Los Angeles)

BUTTER—California creamery extras, 32¢; do, creamery firsts, 30¢. These prices represent 3 cents added to jobbers' prices to producers.

(Rivers Bros.)

EGGS—Pullets, 23¢; case count, 24¢; extra, 25¢. Quotations on eggs, case count bases, indicate jobbers' and wholesale price to producers. Quotations on candles and selected stocks are prices to the trade.

POULTRY—Broilers, 34¢; fliers, 32¢; roasters, 25¢; light hens, 21¢; heavy hens, 22¢; stage and old roosters, 13¢; young ducks, 22¢; young geese, 22¢; young turkeys, 28¢; tom turkeys, 30¢.

MISCELLANEOUS FRUITS—Bananas, 1b. 40¢/42¢; pineapples, 7c lb. \$1.50/crate; strawberries, 1b. 35¢/38¢; tier, \$1.50; Spitzbergen, 1b. 50¢/62.75¢; yellow Newton Pippins, \$1.25/1.75; Oregon Pippins, \$1.35/1.75; Winesaps, \$1.75/2.00; Roma tomatoes, \$1.50/2.25; Winter Pears, \$1.25/1.75; 1/2 lb. 4-tier, \$1.60; 4-tier, 45¢/tier, \$1.40; 4-tier, \$1.10; Gravenstines, \$1.50, 45¢/tier, \$1.75/2.25; Staman Wineapple, \$1.50/1.75; Sunburst, \$1.50; pomegranates, \$2.00; box, kumquats, 20¢; loquats, 1b. 5¢; cherries, 12¢/14¢ lb.; gooseberries, 6¢/lb.; peaches, \$1.35/lug; apricots, \$1.50/1.75; lug; currants, 1.25¢; Sunburst oranges, \$4.00; Butcher plums, 75¢; Satsuum plums, 80¢; crab apples, \$1.00/lug; Tragedy plums, \$1.00/lug; Bartlett pears, \$1.65/lug, \$2.50; nectarines, \$1.65; Cornish grape, 1b. 10¢/11¢ lug; Malaga grapes, \$1.10/lug; Tokay, \$1.10/1.15; Muscat, \$1.60/crate; grapes, 1b. 5¢; box, kumquats, 20¢; loquats, 1b. 5¢; cherries, 12¢/14¢ lb.; gooseberries, 6¢/lb.; peaches, \$1.35/lug; 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Myrna Sharlow is the youngest grand opera singer in the United States singing leading roles. She began her career at nineteen and is now twenty-two.

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The American press carried the story of this phenomenal incident from New York to San Francisco, and other news organizations took it to London.

The New York Advertiser referred to her success as a "gratifying revelation," the Globe as "Miss Sharlow's triumph."

In the same week she took the place of Alice Nielsen during her illness in both opera and concert.

During Melba's later appearance in "La Boheme" Miss Sharlow was in Paris, when the London management wired her to come to London prepared to take Melba's place in case Melba was taken ill.

On July 17, 1914, Miss Sharlow created the part of Samaritana in the first production of "Francesco Di Rimini" in Royal Opera, Covent Garden. Miss Sharlow's success was followed to American papers. The London Times gave her great praise in a column writeup in which it mentioned but three members of the company.

First page stories and pictures of Miss Sharlow about this time appeared in all the leading Boston papers.

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The New York Telegraph not long since printed a retrospective of the life of Geraldine Farrar and then compares it with the start and career of Miss Sharlow. The Telegraph bids us watch Miss Sharlow's career. Later Miss Sharlow appeared with Geraldine Farrar, great contralto, in "Carmen" singing the leading soprano role.

Last winter, in Chicago, Miss Sharlow, three days following Melba's appearance, sang the same role in "La Boheme."

Pierre Henrotte, who is one of the assisting artists in the Myrna Sharlow concert, is a native of the historic city of Liege and a graduate of the famous conservatory there that has produced so many renowned virtuosos of Europe. While a youth he was a concert master and soloist in various orchestras of France. In America he has been concertmaster in the Metropolitan Opera House, the Boston Opera House and now holds the same position with the Chicago Grand Opera Company.

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